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PIN AND BALL GAME )  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time to file a Response to the Office Communication mailed on May 24, 2005. The extended period expires on September 26, 2005.

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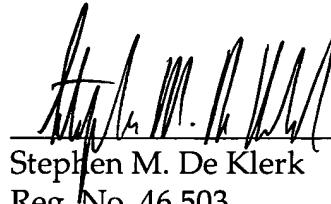
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A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a one-month extension of time. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,  
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